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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Official Action dated March 24, 2005, applicant elects the species I, claims 1-16.

In the Official Action of March 24, 2005, the two species were designated as Group I – claims 1-17 and Group II – claims 18-20. There is no claim 20 and claims 17-19 are drawn to a motor vehicle. Thus applicant interprets the action as requiring an election as between Group I – claims 1-16 or Group II – claims 17-19.

Respectfully submitted,

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